

1000 RICH MEN OF CHIHUAHUA TREKING FOR TEXAS

Escorted by 2000 Federals They Are Pushing On to Liberty

SECRETARY M'ADOO REVIEWS FINANCES OF THE COUNTRY

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Secretary McAdoo's first report to congress, delivered today, is largely confined to a review of the achievements of the treasury department in matters that have been of nation-wide interest; to recommendations for increased appropriations for bureaus under his authority and for legislation which, he declares, is necessary to the better conduct of the government and the promotion of the people.

The secretary discusses at some length the subject of currency legislation, reviewing the activities in his department related to it. He speaks of an unrest in business circles following the beginning of the special session of congress in April, refers to a "propaganda of pessimism which, designedly or not, produced a condition of extreme nervousness and tension," and points to his announcement in June that the treasury was ready to issue \$500,000,000 of emergency currency under the Aldrich-Vreeland act to prevent restriction of credits and to ease any situation.

Mr. McAdoo details the treasury's offer to loan to banks of the country money to move the fall crops. The sum of \$45,000,000 out of \$50,000,000 estimated to be needed was apportioned among the states.

"It was essential," says the secretary, "that the action of the department should be non-partisan and non-political; the crops of republicans, democrats and progressives and all other classes of people had to be moved, and the earnest effort of the department was to have the benefits of this action diffused as widely and impartially as possible."

After praising the psychological value of these incidents, the report continues:

"They demonstrate clearly that any improvement in our financial system which will permanently establish confidence will in itself be an immense gain, and if that improved financial system insures the opportunity to secure at all times the necessary funds and credits to meet the expanding and legitimate needs of the commerce and industry of the country, it will be an achievement of enduring benefit."

Of the new tariff act Secretary McAdoo says it has not been in force a sufficient length of time to make possible an accurate estimate of its ultimate revenue producing powers. He asks congress to impose a nominal tax of 1 per cent proof gallon on all alcohol withdrawn for denaturation, and legislation requiring every dealer in leaf tobacco to make an inventory of stock January 1 of each year and make a report of his transactions quarterly or monthly, and that every dealer be required to give bond.

The present oleomargarine law is declared to be unsatisfactory and the government is said to lose more taxes from illegal practices in oleomargarine than through moonshine stills. The difference in the tax on colored and uncolored "oleo" is held responsible for the loss, and congress is asked to impose a flat nominal tax without any difference for color, with provision for individual stamped or original packages of certain sizes adequately marked and safeguarded. The law governing the sale of adulterated butter is declared to have brought about unfortunate conditions through the difficulty of its just enforcement.

Among his principal recommendations to congress the secretary placed the following:

Enlargement of the public health service and a closer cooperation with state authorities to prevent and stamp out epidemics of disease.

Building of four revenue cutters, for need of which, the secretary points out, the service is seriously crippled.

Consolidation of the revenue cutter and life-saving services into one organization to be known as the coast guard. Such a consolidation, the secretary says, would increase the efficiency of each service with the idea that the new coast guard should become a first naval reserve in time of war. The increase in cost would be about \$400,000.

The income tax is dwelt upon at length, but the report estimates that 425,000 individuals are subject to it and that corporations not heretofore subject to tax will number about 150,000.

Speaking of scientific research by the public health service, the report says:

"On account of the announcements of discoveries of alleged cures for tuberculosis and their bearing on public health, important investigations of them have been undertaken. Studies of the Friedmann treatment were sufficiently advanced by May 16, 1913, to justify a report that the observations made up to that time did not warrant the confidence in the remedy which had been inspired by widespread publicity. This investigation is being continued, as are also studies of other preparations claimed as cures."

Two Bankers Slain Defending Funds from Raids of Bandits

By Associated Press.
WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Dec. 3.—The Bank of Montreal at Plum Coulee was robbed of \$10,000 by two bandits, who killed Manager Arnold and escaped.

BLYTHE, Cal., Dec. 3.—The Palo Verde Valley Bank has offered \$1000 for the capture of two bandits who robbed the bank of \$5000 and killed Cashier Bowles yesterday. Poses are searching the desert.

FIRETRAP BURNS 27 MEN

CHEAP LODGING HOUSE FULL OF WORKERS SCENE OF A HOLOCAUST.

(By Associated Press.)
BOSTON, Dec. 3.—Twenty-seven men were killed, many are missing and scores injured when a firetrap of a lodging house, the Arcadia hotel, burned early this morning. Many bodies were mangled and identification rendered impossible. The victims were poor men, sleeping in crowded bunks on the fourth floor of a frame building, with narrow stairways and inadequate fire escapes. When the stairways were aflame many escaped by walking a plank connecting other roofs and jumping a five-foot alleyway. The property loss is \$25,000.

The fire started in a hallway closet and the building became immediately a raging furnace. Some 178 lodgers were awakened by a newsboy, who discovered the flames and rushed through the halls yelling. Many cots were in each room. Some were rescued by ladders and fire nets. Two jumped to death.

NO HOPE FOR MEN IN MINE

PILLARS IN PARALLEL STOPE GIVE WAY AND CAUSE THE SLIDE.

(By Associated Press.)
CHIPPY CREEK, Dec. 3.—It is believed the entombed miners are dead, but digging is being continued.

When the second accident happened grave fears for the safety of Frank M. Woods, Patrick Kevany and Samuel Sorensen were expressed by rescuers, who fear that a second slide had occurred between them and the imprisoned men.

Thomas Spindel, one of the imprisoned miners, was the first to be rescued. He was at the eighth level of the Golden Cycle. After nine hours' work in the Christina mine at the fourth level Frank Gabis was taken out, uninjured. Both he and Spindel had been protected from the crushing slide by the catching of the "key" boulders, which checked the rush of rock and dirt just before it reached them.

The slide was due to the failure of large supporting pillars between the stopes of the fourth and third levels. Five stopes, filled with debris, parallel and perpendicular to each other, evidently collapsed and came together, and then the slide was precipitated through the other levels to the bottom of the mine.

SUN WORSHIPER SUFFERS FROM WANDERLUST

GERMAN WANDERER SAYS HE HAS TO FOLLOW THE DIRECTION OF SPIRITS.

John Wagner, a middle-aged German, who was sent here by the authorities at Caliente to get rid of the expense of supporting him, was examined last night by Drs. C. J. Richards and J. R. Cunningham for symptoms of insanity, and will have another examination this evening.

Wagner says he is a sun worshiper, that he is a son of the sun and has to do as he is told by mysterious voices that none but himself can hear. He is a globe-trotter who has been all around the world, and seems to have no difficulty in getting a job wherever he goes. He was employed at Caliente and, when his erratic conduct brought him under notice of the sheriff, he was promptly shipped to Tonopah with \$2 and a railroad ticket in his possession. The authorities of Nye county thought at first of sending the charge back to Lincoln county, but found that Wagner was too much of a rover to be classed as a citizen of that county.

"Why do you move so often?" asked Dr. Richards.

"The voices tell me to quit or I'll be killed," was the reply.

As the inquiry progressed Wagner steeled himself and told the physicians that he did not believe a word of what he was saying and that he was as sensible as any man. He also claimed to be the greatest house-fighter of the country, but this does not agree with other statements to the effect that he is a periodical drinker and that for months at a time he abstains from all liquor. If he shows no improvement this evening he will be committed to the Reno asylum.

WILL INSTITUTE TEMPLE OF THE PYTHIAN SISTERS

Mrs. Sarah George of Sparks, grand chief of the order of Pythian Sisters in Nevada, will arrive in McGill next Monday and on Tuesday night will institute a new temple of the order at McGill. About 45 members will take the obligation, of whom about 20 are ladies and 35 of the members of Cyprus lodge, Knights of Pythias. Preparations are being made for an elaborate banquet on Wednesday evening, December 3.—Ely Record.

CONSTABLE M'LEAN WILL TAKE VACATION

David McLean, constable of Ely township, and past grand master, I. O. O. F., will leave next week for an extended visit at his old home in Pictou county, Nova Scotia. Mr. McLean will visit his mother, who has reached the great age of 94 years. He expects to be gone about three months. During his absence his position as constable will be filled by Alex Baird.—Ely Record.

TWO CHINESE BOYS IN TONOPAH SCHOOLS

PUPILS FROM THE FLOWERY KINGDOM ENTERED IN THE FIRST GRADE.

Tonopah is more liberal in the matter of education than the vaunted San Francisco. Yesterday two boys, fresh from China, were admitted to the first grade of the public schools, although one is 14 and the other 15 years of age. They are bright boys, who give promise of reaching the highest grade in a much shorter period than it takes the average American boy to negotiate the distance. Neither speaks English.

The boys were born in China, although their father, Foo Yuen, has conducted the largest hand laundry in Tonopah for the last six years, and previous to that ran a wash house at Virginia City. The boys gained admittance to this country under the student clause, which permits men and women of Chinese birth to share the advantages of education in this country. This raises the number of Chinese boys in the Tonopah public schools to four.

TWO NIGHT OFFICERS TAKE CHARGE OF CAMP

Chief of police Evans has appointed Jack Grant and Bob Dalzell regular night police, who will have charge of the town after dark, with special instructions to enforce the curfew law and keep minors out of places where they should not be found. Jack Grant is a former member of the staff of Sheriff Ingalls of Goldfield, who has been working in the mines of Tonopah for several months.

CONTEST OVER A HORSE FAILS OF A VERDICT

The jury failed to reach a verdict in the long-drawn-out case of the state against McComb at Elko and the case has been reset for the opening day of the next jury session and the defendant released on the same bonds he had before.

DIES OF PNEUMONIA AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

ONE OF THE BEST-KNOWN MINERS OF THE DISTRICT SUCCEUMS.

Jesse C. Younker, whose death was mentioned in yesterday's Bonanza, was one of the best-known miners in Tonopah, as he had been employed here at various times for a period of ten years. He was doing contract work on the Belmont when he was taken sick ten days ago, and was induced to go to the Mine Operators' hospital, where he was entitled to the benefits. He never rallied and died Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Deceased was single, aged 42 years and was one of the nearest perfect physical specimens in Tonopah. He stood six feet three inches and weighed 210 pounds, without an ounce of superfluous flesh. He was born in Kansas and revisited his old home two years ago, returning and resuming work on the Belmont. The body will be shipped to Topeka, Kan., by his brother, William Younker, who lives in Tonopah.

Jesse C. Younker was a member of the Miners' union, the Eagles and Moose, and the funeral will be conducted under the joint auspices of these orders.

HOME-RUN HOGAN PAROLED.

Judge Somers of Goldfield sentenced Home-Run Hogan to one year in the penitentiary and then suspended the sentence during good behavior. He was found guilty of stealing a watch.

TEMPERATURE REPORT.

Highest temperature yesterday, 28 degrees; a year ago, 36.
Lowest temperature last night, 17 degrees; a year ago, 25.

PORFIRIO DIAZ ON ACTIVE LIST OF MEXICO'S FIGHTING FORCES

(By Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 3.—The war department has transferred Porfirio Diaz from the retired to the active list.

Tampico is officially declared the temporary capital of the state of Tamaulipas. General Rabago, military governor, who evacuated Victoria, is re-establishing his government at Tampico, and the federal troops who evacuated Victoria have been ordered to reorganize their forces for its recapture. This action is because there is no fuel for locomotives since the oil supply is stopped.

WEIR CASE MAY GO TO THE JURY THIS EVENING

COUNSEL FOR THE DEFENSE ENTERS ON ARGUMENTS THIS AFTERNOON.

After spending a session last night that lasted until almost 11 o'clock, hearing arguments of the state in the Weir embezzlement case, Judge Averill this morning admonished counsel to close their arguments today so the case may be submitted this evening.

District Attorney Sanders completed his argument in 15 minutes after court had opened and then Attorney Cooke for the defense began outlining his case. He had not finished when court adjourned at noon, and it is expected that his review of the testimony will take up most of the afternoon.

Then the state will reply, and it will be up to the court to submit to the jury. The case has cost the county over \$5000.

EIGHT CANDIDATES ADMITTED TO ELKS

TONOPAH LODGE OF ELKS ADDS SEVERAL LIKELY NAMES TO THE ROLL.

Eight new candidates were added to the roll of membership in the Elks of Tonopah last night, when the initiation ceremony was performed by Elbert O'Connell, exalted ruler, assisted by Fred Penn, esquire. The candidates were Arthur Keenan, Alex Dewar, Heine Henkle, W. S. Evans, Ralph Hussey, George Jenkins, C. I. Olson of Millers and Jules Smith.

After the goat was exhausted and the goats of the tyros were driven into the corral, the entire bunch gathered around the banquet board and discussed a fine luncheon that had been prepared for the occasion.

For the induction of the men from Ely it is said the Alum club is making special arrangements to cause the novices to remember the fatal 13th of December.

NEVADA CON. DECLARES EXTRA 50c DIVIDEND

With the payment of the regular dividend and extra dividend ordered by the Nevada Consolidated directors, the total disbursements by the company will amount to \$13,941,400. The regular dividend is for 37 1/2 cents a share and the extra dividend to be paid is 50 cents. Together they will amount to \$874,734 and are payable December 30.—Ely Expositor.

SEMI-MONTHLY SHIPMENT FROM THE MAC NAMARA

The MacNamara mill sent out its regular bullion shipment yesterday morning, amounting to six bars, weighing 14,000 ounces, valued at approximately \$11,000.

SUSTAINS SLIGHT INJURY.

Gus Anderson, employed at the Tonopah Extension, sustained a severe sprain of one ankle yesterday as he was working in the mine and was treated at the Mine Operators' hospital.

For quick results try the want ad columns of the Bonanza.

NEW MEXICO IS UNABLE TO PAY ITS JUST DEBTS

SALARIES OF OFFICERS IN ARREARS—FINANCES IN CHAOTIC CONDITION.

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 3.—With the first two years of statehood for New Mexico drawing to a close, the state is confronted with a serious financial situation, due primarily to the readjustment made necessary in the change from a territorial to state form of government.

A taxation law enacted by the legislature a year ago, providing for the assessment of all property in the state at one-third of its actual cash value, followed by blanket raises made by the state board of equalization, upon returns made to that body by the assessors of the various counties, has resulted in a succession of suits filed by corporations and individuals, enjoining the board of equalization from enforcing these raises. As a result the payment of all taxes has ceased and the state treasury is practically without funds to meet its actual running expenses. Officials have been paid only part of their salaries for the past quarter, many clerks have had to go without salary for some months, the state mounted police, which ceased official existence today, have not been paid for four months and county officers throughout the state have been without salary for two years because of the failure of the legislature to pass a law fixing their compensation as provided for in the constitution, which expressly forbids the payment of salaries on a fee system.

BUSINESS TIED UP BY FLOODS AROUND WACO

RAILROADS IN CENTRAL TEXAS DEMORALIZED BY HIGH WATER.

(By Associated Press.)
DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 3.—All central Texas creeks and rivers are swollen to a dangerous stage and continue rising. Ten feet of water is flowing in the streets of East Waco. Railroad and trolley service is demoralized at most points.

HARBOR CONGRESS OPENED.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Secretary Lane, representing the president, substituted for Secretary Bryan, greeted the opening of the tenth convention of the national rivers and harbors congress.

SEEKING DISSOLUTION OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Attorney General McReynolds and President Elliott have conferred and both are confident of a satisfactory dissolution of the New Haven railroad without a court fight.

Among the holiday dainties announced is the celebrated Wilson fudge, on exhibition at the white house.

Overland movement of troops is the only method.

Reports of military operations in the republic are meager here, as they are censored and unreliable, the rebels dominating some telegraph lines and the federals others.

Recruiting officers arrested an audience in a theater for "men only" and impressed them into the army. They raided the theater unaware.

The foreign colonies are perfecting a joint defense plan, excepting the Americans.

JUAREZ, Dec. 3.—Confident that the seven federal generals who evacuated Chihuahua are seeking refuge in the United States to escape rebel imprisonment, General Villa is attempting to intercept them. The fugitives are headed for Presidio, Texas. With the fugitives are 2000 troops and over 1000 wealthy Chihuahuans. The federal penitentiary at Chihuahua was emptied of political prisoners before the evacuation.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS PRINTED IN MEXICO

(By Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 3.—Newspapers printed Wilson's message fully. Interest is intense. Opinions vary.

H. S. Kidder, an oil salesman, was tried for sedition and released on \$2500 bonds. The charges are ridiculous in that he discussed political conditions with railroad employees.

ELEVEN HOURS WORK DECIDED ON IN SENATE

SENATE FAILS TO RATIFY THE PRESIDENT'S CURRENCY BILL.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The senate democrats failed of a formal ratification of the currency bill program. Eleven-hour sessions were decided upon.

Perkins presented a petition from San Francisco with 20,000 names endorsing the Hetch Hetchy bill. Works presented a petition of nearly 3000 water users on irrigated lands protesting.

SUFFRAGISTS INVADE ROOMS OF COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Dr. Shaw led over 1000 suffrage delegates into the house rules committee meeting. They marched in regimental formation. Dr. Shaw urged the house to name a standing suffrage committee of 13 members. She said her purpose was not to convert congressmen to suffrage, but only desired an official committee.

URGED TO SUPPORT THE DIRECT PRIMARIES

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—In an hour's debate in the senate Bristow and Cummins urged democrats to support President Wilson's direct primaries election recommendations. President Wilson is confined indoors with a bad cold.

POLICE READY TO ARREST EMMELINE PANKHURST

(By Associated Press.)
PLYMOUTH, England, Dec. 3.—Preparations are being made to arrest Emmeline Pankhurst upon arrival of the steamer Majestic tonight. A force of militants is preparing to resist the police and arrest Pankhurst.

STRIKEBREAKERS SHOOT.

(By Associated Press.)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 3.—When a wagon was attacked strikebreakers fired into a crowd and a youth was shot in the leg.